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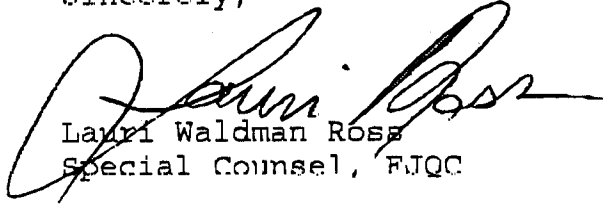
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The Supreme Court of Florida  
Supreme Court Building  
500 S. Duval Street  
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RE: In re: Judge Robert H. Bonanno  
S.Ct. Case No.: 01-2078

Dear Debbie:

As you know this case is set for oral argument on January 7, 2002. Yesterday, Judge Bonanno sent his letter of resignation to the Governor, a copy of which is attached. I would suggest that the issue is moot but do not know how the Court wants to handle this. I would appreciate a call back as soon as possible.

Sincerely,



Lauri Waldman Ross  
Special Counsel, FJQC

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Enclosure

cc: Ralph Fernandez, Esq.

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Governor Jeb Bush  
The Capitol  
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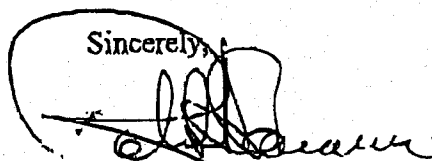
**VIA FACSIMILE (850)487-0801 and U.S. MAIL**

**RE: Resignation**

Dear Governor Bush:

I have decided that it is time for me to resign my position as circuit judge. The resignation is effective on January 21, 2002. I extend this notice of resignation without reservation knowing that it is in the best interests of my family, my friends, and more importantly, the people of Hillsborough County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert H. Bonanno", written over a circular stamp or mark.

**ROBERT H. BONANNO**